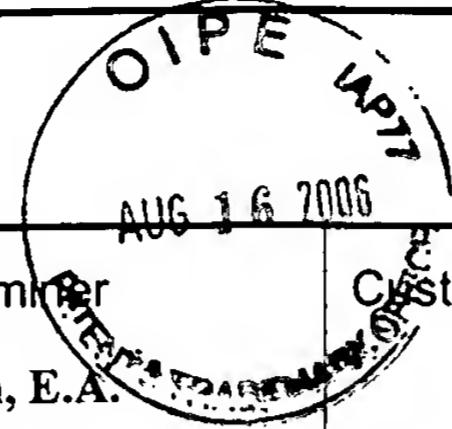


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Docket No.

577-760 RCE

In Re Application Of: **Rodrigues et al.**



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Invention:

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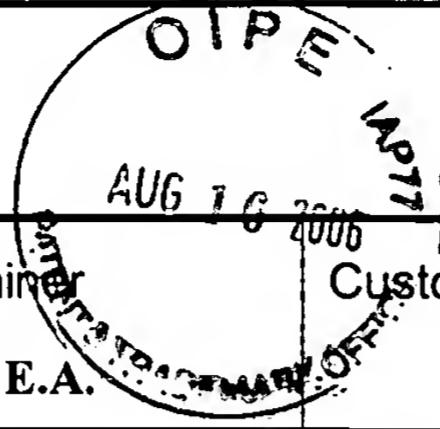
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